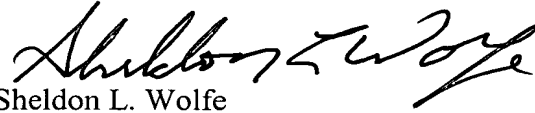


REMARKS

By this preliminary amendment, Applicants are adding claims 32-34. Applicants request entry of the preliminary amendment prior to examination of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



Sheldon L. Wolfe
Reg. No. 43,996

Date: July 30, 2004

Docket No. 010121-9950
Michael Best & Friedrich LLP
100 East Wisconsin Avenue
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202-4108

(262) 956-6560

T:\clienta\010121\9950\F0110228.1